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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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Group Art Unit: 1649

## **André DELACOURTE Nicolas SERGEANT**

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Examiner: **Chang Yu Wang**

Serial No.: 10/625,854

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# **PREVENTION, TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF DISEASES ASSOCIATED WITH BETA-AMYLOID FORMATION AND/OR AGGREGATION**

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Confirmation No.: 9442

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 7, 2006**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions for an extension of time of one month to and including June 7, 2006 in which to respond to the Office Action dated February 7, 2006.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 08-3038/11362.0039.NPUS01 for a one-month extension of

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time. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Deposit Account No. 08-3038/**11362.0039.NPUS01**.

Respectfully submitted,



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